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small entity fee. The Applicants' status is now a large entity. Therefore, we submit a large entity issue fee of \$1,330.00.

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